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COUNTY OF McI FAN	, i		

VERIFICATION OF VERIZON NORTH INC. & VERIZON SOUTH INC. REGARDING AN APPROVED ADOPTION OF AN INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

I, James R. Hargrave, do on oath depose and state that the facts contained in the foregoing document are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and the approved Agreement, excluding the letter dated June 30, 2003 is the same as the Agreement filed in this docket with the verified petition.

Assistant Vice President-

Public Policy & External Affairs

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public for the State of Illinois this day of November, 2003.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 080606

OFFICIAL SEAL
MARY JOHN
Notary Public, State of Illinois
My Commission Expires 08-08-08